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In re application of

Régis HOUZE et al.

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Application No. 10/562,819

Group 1793

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Examiner Shuangyi Abu Ali

CATIONIC LIQUID STARCHY COMPOSITION AND USES THEREOF

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

It is noted that since the USPTO was closed several days for inclement weather, this response is timely filed.

In response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2009, for which the period for response has been extended three months, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.